## What is claimed:

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1. A polymer for the reduction of aluminosilicate containing scale according to the formula:

--(( $CH_2$ )<sub>2</sub>--N)<sub>x</sub>--(( $CH_2$ )<sub>2</sub>--N)<sub>y</sub>--/ ( $CH_2$ )<sub>3</sub>-Si(OCH<sub>3</sub>)<sub>3</sub>

where x = 0.5-20%, y = 99.5-80%.

2. A polymer for the reduction of aluminosilicate containing scale according to formula:

-(CH<sub>2</sub>CHQ)<sub>w</sub>-((CH)-(CH))<sub>x</sub>-----((CH)-(CH))<sub>y</sub>--((CH)---(CH))<sub>z</sub>
/ / / / / / /
COOR COX-R'-Si(OR")<sub>3</sub> COOR COD CO<sub>2</sub>R" CO<sub>2</sub>R"

where

w = 1-99.9% , x = 0.1-50%, y = 0-50%, z = 0-50%; and
Q = C1-C10 alkyl, aryl, amide, acrylate,
ether, COXR where X=O or NH and R=H, C1-C10
alkyl or aryl, or any other substituent;
R = H, Na, K, NH<sub>4</sub>;
X = NH, NR" or O;
R' = C1-C10 alkyl, or aryl;
R" = H, C1-C3 alkyl, aryl, Na, K or NH<sub>4</sub>; and
D= NR"<sub>2</sub> or OR", with the proviso that all R and

R" groups do not have to be the same.

30 3. The polymer for the reduction of aluminosilicate containing scale according to the formula:

 $-(CH_{2}CHQ)_{w}---((CH)(CH))_{x}--((CH)--(CH))_{y}-((CH)(CH))_{z}$  / / / / / / /35  $CO CO_{2}NH_{4} CO_{2}NH_{4} CO_{2}NH_{4} CO CO_{2}NH_{4}$  / / /  $NH(CH_{2})_{3}Si(OC_{2}H_{5})_{3} N(C_{2}H_{5})_{2}$ 

where w =1-99.9%, x=0.1-50%, y=0-50%, z=0-50%; and Q is phenyl.

4. A polymer for the reduction of aluminosilicate containing scale according to the formula:

$$(CH_2--CH)_x---(CH_2-CH)_y---(CH_2--CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_x---(CH_2--CH)_y---(CH_2--CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_x---(CH_2-CH)_y---(CH_2--CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_x---(CH_2-CH)_y---(CH_2--CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_x---(CH_2-CH)_y---(CH_2--CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_x---(CH_2-CH)_y---(CH_2--CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_x---(CH_2-CH)_y---(CH_2--CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_x---(CH_2-CH)_y---(CH_2--CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_x---(CH_2-CH)_y---(CH_2--CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_x---(CH_2--CH)_y---(CH_2--CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_x---(CH_2--CH)_y---(CH_2--CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_x---(CH_2-CH)_y---(CH_2--CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_x---(CH_2-CH)_y---(CH_2--CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_x---(CH_2--CH)_y---(CH_2--CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_x---(CH_2--CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_y---(CH_2--CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_y---(CH_2--CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_y---(CH_2--CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_y---(CH_2--CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_y---(CH_2--CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_y---(CH_2--CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_y---(CH_2--CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_y---(CH_2--CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_y---(CH_2--CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_y---(CH_2-CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_y---(CH_2-CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_y---(CH_2-CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_y---(CH_2-CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_y----(CH_2-CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_y----(CH_2-CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_y----(CH_2-CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_y----(CH_2-CH)_z-- (CH_2--CH)_y----(CH_2-CH)_z-- (CH_2-CH)_y----(CH_2-CH)_z-- (CH_2-CH)_y----(CH_2-CH)_z-- (CH_2-CH)_y----(CH_2-CH)_z-- (CH_2-CH)_y----(CH_2-CH)_z-- (CH_2-CH)_y----(CH_2-CH)_z-- (CH_2-CH)_y--- (CH_2-CH)_z-- (CONH_2-CH)_z-- (CNH_2-CH)_z-- (CNH_2-CH)_z-- (CNH_2-CH)_z-- (CNH_2-$$

5. The polymer for use in the reduction of aluminosilicate containing scale according to the formula:

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$$(CH_2--CH)_x---(CH_2-CH)_y---(CH_2--CH)_z---$$
/ / / / /
CONH<sub>2</sub> COONa Si(OH)<sub>3</sub>
where:
 $x=1-99\%$ ,  $y=1-99\%$ ,  $z=0.5-20\%$ .

6. A polymer for use in the reduction of aluminosilicate containing scale, wherein the polymer is a graft copolymer of formula a or formula b:

where x = 0.1 - 99% (as percentage of monomer
units in the polymer) and

X = NH, NR' or O;

R' = C1-C10 alkyl, or aryl and

R" = H, C1-C3 alkyl, aryl, Na, K or NH4.

7. The polymer for use in the reduction of aluminosilicate containing scale according to claim 6 according to the formula: